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Chris Reiner, SFD-9-4

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX

75 Hawthorne Street

San Francisco, CA 94105

### **Re: Yosemite Creek Superfund Site**

Dear Mr. Reiner:

This letter is in response to USEPA's letter of February 21, 2008, addressed to H. Kenyon Bixby, Pacific Scientific Energetic Materials Company (PSEMC), regarding the captioned matter. Please be advised that all future correspondence regarding this matter should be directed to me at:

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Please also be advised that Danaher Corporation acquired PSEMC in 1998, and acquired McCormick Selph, Inc., including the facility in Hollister, California, in July, 2003. It is our understanding that Allegheny Teledyne owned the Hollister business prior to McCormick Selph, Inc., and at the time of the previous investigation and remediation of the Bay Area Drum Company (BAD), and the issuance of the California Department of Toxic Substances Control order. PSEMC is reviewing its records to assess these predecessor companies' involvement with BAD and the previous investigation and remediation. PSEMC is not involved in any other activities with regard to the Yosemite Creek Superfund Site.

Once we have completed our internal review, we may have additional information to provide to USEPA. In the meantime, please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Carl S. Grabinski'.

Carl S. Grabinski, Corporate Counsel

CC: Ken Meade, WilmerHale, LLP